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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EIU WELCOMES NEW ETA SIGMA GAMMA INITIATES

CHARLESTON –Several Eastern Illinois University students were recently initiated into Eta Sigma Gamma national professional health science honorary

Eta Sigma Gamma is designed specifically for professionals in health science/health education anywhere in the United States and other nations.

The basic purposes of the organization and the profession are teaching, research and service. The unifying element of these purposes is symbolized by the lamp of learning, since it is through the learning process that each purpose is achieved.

The following students were initiated:

BLOOMINGTON – Shara Koch, daughter of Gary and Ray Koch of Bloomington; 1998 graduate of University High School in Normal; sophomore physical education major.

NEWTON – Lisa Klingler, daughter of Victor and Dorothy Klingler of Newton; 1995

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graduate of Newton Community High School; senior psychology major.

PINCKNEYVILLE – Desiree Rieckenberg, daughter of Jerry and Jane Rieckenberg of Pinckneyville; 1998 graduate of Pinckneyville High School; junior psychology major.

WATSEKA – Mary Erica Lenz, daughter of Dave and Lynne Lenz of Watseka; 1997 graduate of Bishop McNamara High School in Kankakee; senior health studies major.